

## **Church Family Announcements:**

### **Coffee:**

October 28<sup>th</sup>- Jim and Deb  
November 4<sup>th</sup> - Ken and Karin  
November 11<sup>th</sup> – Herb and Esther  
November 18<sup>th</sup>- Heidi & Marilyn

### **Birthdays:**

Oct 27<sup>th</sup> - Bev  
Oct 27<sup>th</sup>- Sam  
Oct 28<sup>th</sup>- Johanna

## **Aberdeen EMC**

### **Upcoming Events**

**Tonight!** Prayer night at Ron & Ruth's, 7 pm

October 27<sup>th</sup>- Aberdeen Food Pantry

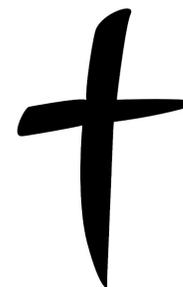
October 29<sup>th</sup>- November 5<sup>th</sup> Teresa will be at the Christian Community Development Association Conference in Chicago. If you have any ministerial needs, please contact a member of the ministerial team.

November 3<sup>rd</sup>- Spanish Service at 6 pm.

November 4<sup>th</sup>-There will be a congregational meeting following the service.

November 9-11<sup>th</sup>- Spanish Speaking Women's retreat at Camp Assiniboia. See Aida for more details!

Ron Penner will be doing a fall Sunday school series beginning soon. Stay tuned for details.



Welcome to Aberdeen!

Our worship is a response to Gods call to repentance and faith.  
Seeking to live in harmony with Gods will, we will extend our service and witness in the name of Jesus Christ.

Teresa Enns Zehr, Pastor  
Office Hours Monday – Thursday 1-5  
Worship Bulletin Submission by Noon on Thursday

### **Ministerial:**

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*Sunday, October 21, 2018*

*“Who do you love?”*

### **Gathering**

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Congregational singing

My Jesus I Love Thee HWB 522

I Will Praise You Lord HWB 76

Call to Worship

L: God has called all God's people to lives of hope and service.

**P: We want to serve God, but sometimes life gets to be too difficult for us.**

L: Place your trust in God's power and love.

**P: God understands our needs, our sorrows, and our joys.**

L: Come, let us worship God who is with us always.

**P: Praise God for God's eternal presence. AMEN.**

### **Hearing the Word**

Psalm 22:1-15, Mark 10:17-31

Children's story

Sermon- Jim

### **Responding**

Congregational Singing

I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry STJ 89

Nothing is Lost on the Breath of God STS 121

Prayer of Confession (Psalm 22, Job 23, Mark 10)

**Lord,  
we look for you  
in the wrong places.  
We put our trust  
in material things.  
We worry about things  
we cannot change.  
We wonder  
if you are even there at all.  
For all the times  
we have doubted you, Lord,**

**forgive us.  
For all the ways  
we have neglected your word  
and ignored your people,  
forgive us.  
Do not be far from us, Lord.  
There is no one else  
we can turn to for help.  
Renew our fickle hearts  
and help us put our trust in you.**

Words of Assurance (Psalm 22, Hebrews 4)

There is no wrong  
that God cannot make right.  
There is no chasm  
that can separate us  
from God's love.  
The Lord is patient and kind,  
generous and good.  
God will not forsake you  
or leave you.  
Turn to the Lord with confidence  
and put your faith in God's great mercy.  
By the power of Jesus Christ,  
we are made whole. Amen.

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Offertory

Announcements

### **Sending**

Congregational Song

Love the Lord Your God STS 55

Benediction

You have been made free by the love of God through Jesus Christ our Lord. Go into the world to serve God by helping others. Be at peace and bring God's peace and love with you wherever you go. Amen.

Worship Leader: Teresa

Speaker: Jim

Song Leader: Bev

Pianist: Marcia

## **Beyond our Congregation**

### **Steinbach Bible College**

#### **Teens and Marijuana**

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#### **MCC Manitoba**

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#### **CMU**

Ours is a world in which millions of people flee danger and seek the possibility of new beginnings in lands and cultures foreign to their upbringing. Ours is also a world beset by 'tribalisms' and perceptions of 'the other'. Join this Face2Face conversation exploring the question Whose Neighbour Am I? Newcomers in Canada. Wed. Nov. 7, 7:00 PM in Marpeck Commons. See [cmu.ca/events](http://cmu.ca/events).

Consider joining an educational tour to Israel/Palestine led by Gerald Gerbrandt. The tour will focus on the region as both the land of the Bible and a land caught in intense conflict. After the tour you will never read the Bible or listen to the news in the same way again. For more information see [cmu.ca/met](http://cmu.ca/met) or contact [ggerbrandt@cmu.ca](mailto:ggerbrandt@cmu.ca).

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